

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for
HUMAN SERVICES
APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE**

Date: February 7, 2001

Place: Room 116

Convened: 9:41 a.m.

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Adjourned: 11:50 a.m.

Present: Senators Veenstra-CH, Boettger-VC, Hammond-RM, Harper, Redwine
Representatives Heaton-CH, Johnson-VC, Osterhaus-RM, Arnold, Foege, Greimann, Houser,
Hoversten, Smith

Absent:

Excused:

Senator Veenstra, Chair, called the meeting to order; roll call was taken; the Minutes from the previous meeting were approved by voice vote.

Senator Veenstra introduced Sam Leto with the Legislative Fiscal Bureau.

SPEAKERS:

- Anita Smith, DHS, re: Healthy and Well Kids in Iowa (HAWK-I) program status and future plans.
- Bill Brand, Dept. of Human Rights, re: Community Action Agency Division and representatives from local outreach centers:
- Tina Nourse and Connie Spurgeon, from MATURA in Creston, representing six SW IA counties
- Tom Soval and Anthony Allen, Operation Newview
- Alice Bengel, from SIEDA in Ottumwa; and Pat Hildebrand, Tama County Health Services Director in Marshalltown.
- Joan Discher, Merit, and Dennis Headlee, DHS, re: follow-up discussion concerning Merit Behavioral Care of Iowa and Keep Kids Safe Program.
- Betsy Chrischilles, UOI, Tom Temple and Nancy Bowersox re: Pharmaceutical Case Management program status, other states' interest in the model program and comments/success stories.

Representative Hoversten moved to arise, and the meeting was adjourned.

Dave Heaton, House Chair

Jill Beni, House Chair Secretary